## Legal/Advocacy Services



Leaning towards the law as a carreer path? Learn to be a teen mediator and work with individuals in need of conflict resolution. This opportunity will teach you the skills you need to be an essential part of this important community resource.

## COMMUNITY JUSTICE & MEDIATION CENTER

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Minimum Age: 14

CJAM promotes a civil and just community through mediation, education and restorative justice. Programs and services include: Victim-Offender Reconciliation Program, Shoplifter's Alternative, community mediation (for neighborhood, school, family or business conflicts) as well as a variety of workshops and training on conflict resolution.

\* In general, teens can help with special events or projects, distributing flyers and brochures, and making referrals to mediation. Once a teen has received "Basic Mediation Training" they can comediate cases with adult mediators and help with conflict resolution workshops for youth. After training, there is an ongoing commitment of 3-6 hours per month.